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Sir:

It has come to the attention of the undersigned that the an incorrect fee was paid when a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), Amendment and Response to Final Office Action, and Request for Extension of Time (Three Month) was filed in the above-identified application on May 8, 2008. The RCE, Amendment and Response to Final Office Action, and Request for Extension of Time was paid at the small entity rate instead of at the large entity rate. This fee was paid in error and did not involve any deceptive intent on the part of the undersigned.

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Respectfully submitted,

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